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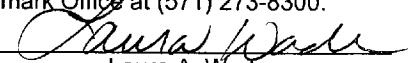
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 11, 2007

Sir:

Applicant submits the following response in reply to the Office Action mailed May 11, 2007. In light of the following amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims. Payment of \$120 for a one-month extension of time is being submitted concurrently with this electronic submission. If this fee is insufficient, or if there are any other charges required for entry of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct them from Deposit Account 18-1167.